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SUBJECT: HUMPHREY-HUNG ESPIONAGE CASE

REF: STATE 109237

- 1. ON MAY 2 GOVERNMENT PROSECUTORS IN HUMPHREY-HUNG ESPEIONAGE CASE INTRODUCED INTO EVIDENCE TELEGRAMS AND AIRGRAMS DEFENDANTS ARE ALLEGED TO HAVE PASSED TO VIETNAMESE. THESE DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN DECLASSIFIED AND ARE IN THE PUBLIC DOMAIN.
- 2. PER REFTEL, DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS CALLED IN FIRST SECRETARY RAJAN OF INDIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON ON MAY 3 TO INFORM HIM OF INTRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS INTO EVIDENCE AND TO MAKE AVAILABLE TEXTS OF 3 DOCUMENTS AFFECTING INDIAN INTERESTS. RAJAN EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR THE DOCUMENTS AND PREDICTED THEY WOULD CREATE A STIR IN INDIA IF LOCAL INDIAN CORRESPONDENTS IN WASHINGTON OBTAIN COPIES. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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- 3. FOR EMBASSY'S INFORMATION FOLLOWING ARE DOCUMENTS GIVEN TO MR. RAJAN ON MAY 3:
- A. HONG KONG 2220 (FEBRUARY 25, 1977)
- B. HONG KONG 4552 (APRIL 25, 1977)

C. PEKING 895 (MAY 5, 1977)

4. IF APPROACHED BY HOST GOVERNMENT, EMBASSY MAY DRAW ON ABOVE AS WELL AS ON GUIDANCE PROVIDED REFTEL. OTHER QUESTIONS SHOULD BE REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. CHRISTOPHER

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